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Title: SUBSTRATE FOR PACKAGING PERISHABLE
GOODS OR FOR APPLICATION ONTO SAME
AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE
QUALITY OF SAID GOODS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

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Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

In the claims:

Please amend the following claims as indicated.

In claim 3, line 1 delete "or 2".

In claim 4, line 1 delete "one of the preceding claims" and insert - -claim 1- -.

In claim 5, line 1 delete "one of the preceding claims" and insert - -claim 1- -.

6. (Amended) Substrate according to [one of claims] claim 4 [or 5],
characterised in that in the general formula I and II, $R_4 = \text{NO}_2$ and 2 - 4 NO_2 groups are present.

In claim 7, line 1 delete "or 2".

In claim 8, line 1 delete "or 2".

In claim 9, line 1 delete "one of the preceding claims" and insert - -claim 1- -.

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